

Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/822,171	SCHLANGER, RAPHAEL	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Jason R. Bellinger	3617	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

- (1) Jason R. Bellinger. (3) Robert Bachman.
 (2) Raphael Schlanger. (4) _____.

Date of Interview: 14 November 2007.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
 c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 114, 116 and 125.

Identification of prior art discussed: Wilson, Lacombe et al.

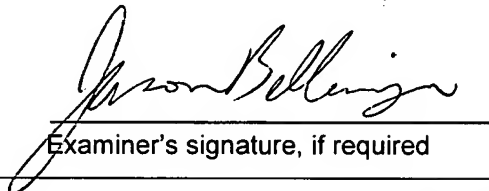
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.



 Examiner's signature, if required

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussed how Wilson does not disclose how the spokes are screwed into the hub flanges (i.e. whether there is a pre-formed hole or the spoke is self-tapping). Discussed adding the limitation of an "interference fit" into the independent claim. Also discussed providing a more comprehensive argument about Wilson's lack of disclosure on the spoke-hub connection (as discussed above). This language appears to overcome the Wilson reference, dependent upon further search and/or consideration.